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NEW WEBSITE FEATURES SMOKE-FREE RESTAURANT FINDER

(Phoenix, AZ) Patrons eager to eat dinner out without the loom of cigarette smoke in the air can visit a newly launched website to find that special place. The Secondhand Smoke section of Maricopa County Tobacco Use Prevention Program's website (www.mactupp.org) features a list of smoke-free restaurants, searchable by Valley city.

"More restaurants are becoming smoke-free to meet the needs of their customers. Smoke-filled rooms can have six times the air pollution of a busy highway." said Debbie Reynolds, secondhand smoke team leader for Maricopa County Tobacco Use Prevention Program (MACTUPP).

The site also features the following:

- information on tobacco prevention programs for schools and children
- tips and resources for quitting tobacco
- a list of community events
- information for businesses interested in going smoke-free
- links to tobacco-related websites

MACTUPP offers free quit tobacco classes at 35 locations throughout the Valley. For more information or registration, call (602) 372-7272.

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